

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

J.A. and E.A., on behalf of M.A.,

Plaintiffs,

ELECTRONICALLY FILED

- against -

EAST RAMAPO CENTRAL
SCHOOL DISTRICT,

Case No.: **07-cv-07075**
CLB

Defendant.

ATTORNEY AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF NEW YORK :
 : ss:
COUNTY OF ALBANY :

Karen S. Norlander, being duly sworn, deposes and says that:

1. I am counsel to the law firm of Girvin & Ferlazzo, P.C., attorneys for Defendant, the East Ramapo Central School District ("District"), in the above-referenced action and am familiar with the facts and procedural history of this action.

2. I offer this Affidavit in support of the Defendant's Motion for Summary Judgement.

3. Attached hereto as **Exhibit "A"** is a true and accurate copy of the State Review Officer's Decision dated April 9, 2007, which is the subject of this action.

4. Attached hereto as **Exhibit "B"** is a true and accurate copy of the Impartial Hearing Officer's decision dated December 30, 2006, which the State Review Officer annulled.

5. I have conferred with Cart Wanderman, Counsel for the District who represented Defendant in the underlying case, and he advises that the Plaintiffs have not requested a hearing to challenge any IEPs offered beyond those offered here.

6. Since I became Counsel of record, I have made repeated requests to opposing counsel and his office to obtain proof of payment for any services for which Plaintiffs are seeking reimbursement. To date, I have not received the information requested.

WHEREFORE, I respectfully request the Defendant's Motion for Summary Judgement in the above-captioned action be granted in all respects, that in the event Defendant's prevail that Defendant's invite Defendant's to file a motion for attorneys' fees pursuant to the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act and for such other and further relief in Defendant's favor as the Court deems appropriate.

DATED: December 21, 2007

GIRVIN & FERLAZZO, P.C.

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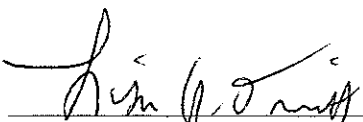
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Sworn to before me this 21st day of December, 2007


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